Episode 60: Trust

THEY WEREN'T THERE, THOUGH.

EVERY-ONE MADE IT OUT.

RUSTLE

ZZZSs

WE'RE LEAVING.

WHERE ARE EREN AND KRISTA?

NICE MUS-TACHE YOU HAVE THERE.

PANT

DID YOU KILL MY MEN?

PANT

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...UNFORTU-
NATELY FOR
YOU, THEY
WON'T BE
COMING TO
YOUR
RESCUE.

KILLING
THEM
WOULD'VE
BEEN A
BOTHER...

...SO THEY'LL
JUST BE OFF
THEIR FEET
FOR THE TIME
BEING.

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THE INTERIOR MPS WILL BE OUT OF ACTION FOR A WHILE, NOW.

I THINK YOU SHOULD KNOW...

YOU THINK YOU'RE SOMETHING SPECIAL? YOU THINK CUTTING DOWN A BUNCH OF UNARMED MPS MAKES YOU A HERO?

DON'T YOU SOUND BRAVE?

HAH...

BUT YOU CUT THEM ALL DOWN WITH NO MERCY OR REMORSE.

SOME OF THE MEN AND WOMEN IN THERE WERE JUST **SER-VANTS.**

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MMF —?!

KRAK

I SEE...

WHAT A HORRIBLE THING WE'VE DONE.

MMF!

MMF!

WHERE ARE EREN AND KRISTA?

I'D SUGGEST USING IT WHILE YOU'RE STILL ABLE TO SPEAK.

AND I FEEL ESPECIALLY BAD ABOUT YOUR MOUTH.

I FEEL AWFUL FOR ALL OF YOU, TOO.

KFF

KFF

KFF

GUHH

USE-
LESS
...!

POP

...THE ONLY OPTION THE SURVEY CORPS HAS LEFT...

KOFF

NO MATTER WHAT YOU TRY TO DO...

IT'S USE-LESS!

YOU'RE NOTHING MORE THAN A PACK OF FILTHY RATS NOW! YOU'LL BE LUCKY JUST TO SURVIVE!!

...IS TO STAY ON THE RUN INSIDE THE WALLS!

WHY SHOULDN'T THEY?! CONSIDERING WHAT YOU'VE DONE, WHO'S GOING TO OBJECT?!

IF YOU DON'T SURRENDER, THE CAPTURED SOLDIERS ARE ALL GOING TO HANG!!

YOU'VE EVEN ABAN-DONED YOUR COM-RADES!

...YOUR LEADER, ERWIN SMITH.

AND THE ONE ON THE GALLOWS FIRST'LL BE THE MAN MOST RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL THIS...

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...AND GIVE YOUR-SELVES UP...

...IF YOU ADMIT TO ACTING ON YOUR OWN...

OF COURSE ...

...COULD BE SPARED, AT LEAST.

...THE LIVES OF YOUR INNOCENT COM-RADES ...

UNDER-STAND, LEVI...?

...

...YOU HAVE LEFT.

THAT'S THE ONLY OPTION ...

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SPIT

...TO SAVE THEIRS ...

USE YOUR LIVES...

THAT'S IT.

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POP

I'LL SPEAK ON YOUR BEHALF.

IT'LL GO BETTER THAT WAY.

I'LL PASS.

YOU JUST TELL ME WHERE EREN AND KRISTA ARE.

...

HUH ...

WELL ...

SOME SURVEY CORPS LIVES ARE WORTH MORE THAN OTHERS.

WHAT A... STRONG BOND YOU HAVE WITH EACH OTHER...

SO YOU'RE GOING TO WATCH YOUR COMRADES BE KILLED JUST TO LIVE A FEW DAYS LONGER?

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AHH!

BAM

ONLY THOSE DUMB ENOUGH TO AGREE TO **THAT** JOIN US.

GRAB

THIS IS FOR NOT ANSWERING MY QUESTION, BY THE WAY.

AGHH

GRRRRK

ANYWAY, I DOUBT THE CROWN WOULD SPARE THE OTHERS AND THROW AWAY THIS PERFECT OPPORTUNITY TO EXTERMINATE THE SURVEY CORPS.

TELL ME WHERE EREN AND KRISTA ARE.

SHUT UP.

HYAAAAAGHHH

BI-KRAK

!

ACK-ER-MAN...?

KENNY ACKERMAN IS EXTREMELY TIGHT-LIPPED!!

THEY BARELY TELL US ANY-THING! I PROMISE !!

I—I DON'T KNOW !!

ESPE-CIALLY THE IMPORT-ANT ONES...

I SUPPOSE **HE** DOESN'T GIVE OUT MANY DETAILS...

...

YES, WHY ...?

THAT'S THE BAS-TARD'S LAST NAME ...?

...MAYBE.

YOU...

YOU STILL HAVE A LOT OF BONES LEFT.

MAYBE I CAN JOG YOUR MEMORY.

BUT YOU MUST HAVE AN INKLING, RIGHT ?

YOU'RE A MAD-MAN.

EEK! ...STOP !!

SOME-ONE'S COMING FROM THAT WAY !!

BAM

IT'S A GROUP !!

BAM

BAM

EEK ... !!

THUD

WHOOOOOOOSH

IT ALL IS...

IT'S HOPE-LESS...

DIDN'T I TELL YOU...?

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THE TIME HAS COME FOR YOU TO PAY FOR WHAT YOU'VE DONE.

THIS IS THE END FOR THE SURVEY CORPS.

ZAKK

ZAKK

BERG NEWSPAPERS, STOHESS DISTRICT

THE DAY BEFORE

APPARENTLY, THEIR MEN DIED "HONORABLE DEATHS PROTECTING THE PEOPLE FROM ATTACKS BY THE ROGUE SURVEY CORPS."

YEAH, WELL... EVERYONE NEEDS A HOBBY.

ROY... THIS IS LIKE A NOVEL STARRING THE INTERIOR BRIGADE.

THEY HAD CONTROL OVER US BEFORE I EVEN GOT HERE. IT'S THE SAME EVERYWHERE ELSE.

DON'T WORRY YOURSELF OVER WHAT'S ALREADY BEEN PRINTED.

SINCE THE BEGIN-NING ...

JUST HOW LONG HAS THIS PAPER BEEN THE KING'S PR DEPARTMENT ?

SO...

SIP...

THEN GET USED TO IT...

I CAN'T HELP IT...

I WAS A CUSTOMER BEFORE I STARTED WORKING HERE. I BELIEVED ALL OF THIS FICTION.

ROY, WHY DID YOU BECOME A JOURNAL-IST?

DIDN'T YOU EVER WANT TO GET TO THE BOTTOM OF ALL THE MYSTERIES IN THIS WOR—

PEAURE.

NO MAN IS AN ISLAND.

SURE, I USED TO BE FULL OF RIGHTEOUS, IDEALISTIC PASSION.

BUT, WELL ...

THEN I MET PEOPLE. I MADE FRIENDS... EVEN STARTED A FAMILY.

I STOPPED CARING SO MUCH ABOUT WHAT HAPPENED TO ME.

I PULLED THE WOOL OVER MY OWN EYES, AND AN IMPORTANT PART OF ME DIED...

BUT... IN RETURN, I WAS ABLE TO PROTECT WHAT I'D COME TO CARE ABOUT.

PA-THE-TIC ...

ISN'T IT?

BUT IT WAS MY DECISION TO LIVE THIS PATHETIC LIFE... HEY—

PEAURE?

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YOU REPRINTED MY WANTED POSTER.

I'M SURVEY CORPS SQUAD LEADER HANGE ZOË.

PARDON THE INTRUSION.

SLAM

SO EVEN IN DEATH, THEY'VE BEEN SLANDERED.

I NOW SEE THAT WAS FALSE.

!!

GA-CHIT

I'D HEARD MY SUBORDINATES ATTACKED CIVILIANS AND WERE KILLED FOR IT, BUT...

...AND TWIST THEM INTO A SHAPE THAT WOULD NEVER BE ABLE TO HOLD A PEN AGAIN.

I WAS JUST ABOUT TO GRAB YOUR HANDS...

I'LL HOLD OFF FOR TODAY.

BUT I CAN SEE YOU'VE GOT IT ROUGH, TOO.

WOOOOSH

I CAN SEE THAT THE SURVEY CORPS HAS BEEN PLACED IN AN ABSURD POSITION...

PLEASE ACCEPT MY CONDOLENCES FOR WHAT HAPPENED WITH YOUR MEN...

OF COURSE YOU MUST OBEY THEM IN THIS SITUATION.

YOU DO AS THE ROYAL GOVERNMENT SAYS TO PROTECT YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY, RIGHT ...?

BUT ...

HOW-EVER ...

I DON'T THINK WHAT YOU'RE DOING IS PARTICULARLY WRONG.

IF I WAS IN YOUR POSITION, I'D DO AS THEY SAY, TOO.

SST

Y-!!...

WAIT! PLEASE, NO VIOLENCE!

OH, MOBLIT... YOU'RE OVERRE-ACTING.

SST

RATTLE

GRIP

SORRY.

AH?!

WHAT A PERFECT CHANCE.

HE WAS JUST TRYING TO TAKE NOTES.

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ROY.

YOU CAN KEEP FOLLOWING THE ROYAL GOVERN-MENT'S ORDERS...

...BUT THAT WON'T KEEP THEM SAFE.

YOUR FRIENDS, YOUR PARENTS, OR YOUR DAUGH-TER.

...?!

WHAT... DO YOU MEAN BY THAT?

FOR JUST ONE DAY...

...I WANT YOU TO REPORT THE TRUTH.

TROST DISTRICT

PANT

PANT

PANT

AH...

YOU REALLY ARE A DUMB-ASS, HUH?

YOU THOUGHT YOU COULD LOSE US IN THESE ABANDONED OLD RUINS?

PANT

DAMN IT...

PANT

WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN HIDING, ANYWAY ?

THANKS FOR SAVING US THE WORK, FLEGEL REEVES.

...IT WAS ALL OVER FOR ME...

I WAS SURE ...

WHEN I NOTICED YOU'D FLED THAT SCENE...

OF COURSE, I'M LUCKY YOU'RE SO STUPID.

AAHHH!

WAAAAHH!!

THUD

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SNIFF

NGH...

...THEY'D KILL ME.

Y'SEE, I KNEW ...

ANY-WAY...

GOOD BYE.

WAIT !!

...?

...

HUH ...?!

EEK !!

KA-CHIK

AND THANKS.

WHAT WERE YOU INTERI-OR MPS TRYING TO DO ?!

WHY DID YOU KILL MY DAD ?!

I HAVE A QUES-TION !!

I...

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I'M JUST HERE TO BRING BACK YOUR CORPSE.

WHY WOULD YOU WANT TO KNOW THAT?

HUH?

PLEASE! JUST TELL ME!

WHAT DID MY DAD DO TO CAUSE THIS?!

I JUST WANT TO KNOW... BEFORE I DIE!

FOR SOME REASON, HE BETRAYED US AND WENT OVER TO THE SURVEY CORPS.

OH? YOU DIDN'T KNOW?

HE REALLY KEPT YOU IN THE DARK? MAN, YOU MUST BE A REAL BONEHEAD.

WELL, YEAH ...

SO THE INTERIOR BRIGADE ASKED HIM TO KIDNAP SOMEONE FROM THE SURVEY CORPS?

BE-TRAYED YOU?!

...HE'D REFUSED ?

AND WHAT IF...

...!!

SAME IF HE FAILED TO DELIV-ER.

HIS LIFE WOULD'VE BEEN OVER.

I'M SURE HE KNEW WHAT'D HAPPEN.

IT JUST MEANS MORE WORK FOR US IN THE END.

HMPH... CONTRACTORS SAVE US A LOT OF MANPOWER, BUT THEY'RE ALL SO USELESS.

THAT'S WHY WE'RE IN THIS SITUA-TION...

IF ONLY HE DIDN'T CARE SO MUCH ABOUT HIS EMPLOYEES OR THIS TOWN...

REEVES WOULD'VE BEEN FINE IF HE TOOK HIS FAMILY AND RAN NORTH.

GUESS THE APPLE DOESN'T FALL FAR.

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HUH ?

... NOTH- ING ABOUT MY FATHER ...

YOU... YOU KNOW...

"A MERCHANT NEEDS TO BE ABLE TO READ PEOPLE."

WELL, THERE'S SOMETHING MY DAD USED TO SAY TO ME.

YOU THINK YOU'VE GOT IT ALL FIGURED OUT...

I CHOSE THE PEOPLE WHO MY FATHER TRUSTED.

THAT'S WHY I CHOSE A SIDE.

YOU SHOULD BE SQUEALING LIKE A PIG ABOUT TO BE SLAUGHTERED !!

KA-CHK

WHAT'S GOTTEN INTO YOU, FLEGEL?!

LOOK **UP,** DIMWITS !!

WE ALREADY HAVE WHAT WE WANT! YOUR TIME'S UP!!

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THWISHHH

?!

ZSHHH

ZSSSS

AAAAAHHH

THUK

BLAM

KRAK

THUD

SQUAD LEADER! YOU'RE BEING RECKLESS !!

OWWWW!

AH—

DID YOU ALL HEAR THAT?!

WE DID IT!!

THE... SURVEY CORPS ...?

WHA...

H-HOW ...?

ZAKK

ZAKK

MAYBE IN THE INTERIOR, THEY WOULD BE, BUT HERE IN TROST... WE'VE GOT TO LIVE WHEREVER WE CAN.

YOU THOUGHT THESE BUILDINGS LOOKED ABANDONED?

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HOW THE SURVEY CORPS TRIED TO PROTECT THE REEVES COMPANY.

HOW THE INTERIOR MPS KILLED THE BOSS.

WE HEARD IT ALL.

...RISKED HIS LIFE FOR THE SAKE OF OUR TOWN AND OUR LIVELIHOODS.

...HOW THE BOSS OF THE REEVES COMPANY ...

AND ...

...WILL ATTEST TO THAT.

ALL OF US ...

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SO WHAT ?!

SO ...

...

YOU SHOULD BE WORRIED ABOUT YOURSELVES! DO YOU THINK YOU'LL GET AWAY WITH DOING THIS TO ME?!

THE CROWN DECIDES WHAT'S TRUE AND WHAT ISN'T!

GO AHEAD AND TELL EVERYONE YOU KNOW! THE MOST YOU POOR FOOLS COULD DO IS START A RUMOR THAT'LL COME AND GO IN THREE DAYS, TOPS!

GUH ?!

THUD

IT'S ALL OVER FOR YOU!!

WOULD ANYONE EVEN NOTICE IF THE PEOPLE OF A SHABBY LITTLE TOWN LIKE THIS DISAPPEARED ONE DAY?!

EVERYONE... DON'T WORRY.

...I CAN COUNT ...

SO I HOPE ...

... ON ALL OF YOU.

STARTING FROM TODAY... I, FLEGEL REEVES, AM THE NEW BOSS.

THE REEVES COMPANY WILL PROTECT THIS TOWN.

CLAP
CLAP
CLAP
SPEAK UP!
CAN'T WAIT TO WORK WITH YOU, BOSS!

TAKE CARE OF THE MPS FOR US.

YEAH.

PAT

CON-GRATU-LATIONS.

SO, WHAT DO YOU THINK ?

THE TRUTH WON'T SPREAD ON ITS OWN.

IT'S AS THAT MP SAID.

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YOU'RE THE ONLY ONES WHO CAN REACH THE PEOPLE.

LET'S CLEAR THE SURVEY CORPS'S NAME!

WE CAN EXPOSE THE INTERIOR SQUAD'S CRIMES FOR EVERYONE TO SEE!

LET'S DO IT, ROY!

I CAN'T ...

ROY!!

YOU'RE JUST GOING TO SIT THERE AND LET THIS HAPPEN?!

JUST TRY IT... ALL OUR COL-LEAGUES WOULD BE AS GOOD AS DEAD!

ALONG WITH MY FAMILY, AND YOURS!

OF COURSE I AM !!

IT'S HAPPENED BEFORE!

THERE WAS ONCE A MINER WHO DISAPPEARED AFTER DIGGING UNDER THE WALL!

WHEN ONE OF MY FRIENDS LOOKED INTO IT, HE DISAP-PEARED, TOO!!

THAT'S HOW THINGS WORK INSIDE THESE WALLS!

...RIGHT, HANGE...?

YOU CAN SEE THAT...

WE LIVE BECAUSE THE KING ALLOWS US TO LIVE...

DO YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO GET MY ENTIRE FAMILY KILLED?

WILL YOU REALLY FORCE ME TO BETRAY MY COLLEAGUES AND WRITE THIS ARTICLE?

ERWIN SMITH.

...ANY LAST WORDS ?

DO YOU HAVE ...

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ATTACK
on TITAN